## **SENATE RESOLUTION 52**

## By Harris

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Curtica Jackson, 2015 Valedictorian of Hamilton High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Curtica Jackson is one such exceptional student, who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2015 graduating class at Hamilton High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Jackson achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Curtica Jackson earned an exemplary 3.9 grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including girls' basketball. In addition, she volunteered at Zoo Boo and Zoo Lights and a local community center; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Ms. Jackson has received leadership, honor roll, principal's list, and good citizenship awards. She received the most improved award on her basketball team, and she received an award for reading the most books; and

WHEREAS, Curtica Jackson's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her mother, De'Borah Jackson, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Curtica Jackson's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL

ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2015

Hamilton High School Valedictorian, Curtica Jackson, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.